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Dear Mr. Bueker,

In accordance with our telephone conversation March 19, 2004, enclosed is a copy of the Response that was filed February 13, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2003 for one-month from January 20, 2004 to February 20, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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